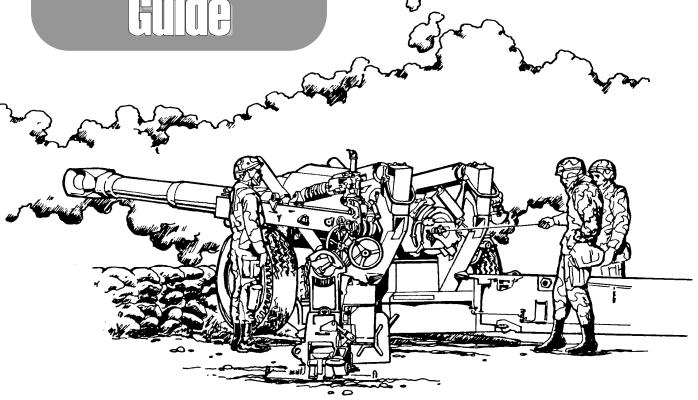
AGAR

Abbreviated Ground Accident Report

Use and Preparation Auide





March 2004

Table of Contents

AGAR Summary of Reporting Requirements	1
Accident Classification Criteria	1
Accident Notification and Reporting Requirements	3
Forwarding Forms	3
Detailed Instructions for Completing the AGAR	4
Report Example	14
Blank Form	20

DA Form 285-AB-R Abbreviated Ground Accident Report (AGAR) is a two-page fill-in-the-block/narrative form used for reporting specific ground accidents IAW AR 385-40

Summary of Reporting Requirements

All accidents

All accidents (regardless of accident class or personnel duty status) <u>must be reported</u> to the local safety office and to the immediate commander or supervisor whose operation, personnel, or equipment is involved.

Accident Classification Criteria

- Class A. The resulting total cost of reportable damage is \$1,000,000 or more; an Army Aircraft or missile is destroyed, missing, or abandon; or an injury and/or occupational illness results in a fatality or permanent total disability.
- Class B. The resulting total cost or reportable property damage is \$200,000 or more but less than \$1,000,000, an injury and/or occupational illness results in permanent partial disability, or three or more personnel are inpatient hospitalized.
- Class C. The resulting total cost of property damage is \$20,000 or more but less than \$200,000, a nonfatal injury causes any loss of time from work beyond the day or shift on which it occurred, or a nonfatal illness or disability causes loss of time from work or disability at any time (lost-time case).
- Class D. The resulting total cost of property damage is \$2,000 or more but less than \$20,000. Injuries that result in restricted work activity, medical attention, or first aid. NOTE: Report Class D injuries to your local safety office, but only forward them to USASC if they occur in conjunction with at least \$2,000 worth of property damage (i.e., Army property or damage to non-Army property if the Army had a contributing role).

On-duty accidents

- Class A & B accidents. The U.S. Army Safety Center (USASC) must be notified immediately about any Class A or B on-duty Army ground accident. The information required is on the "Telephone Notification of Ground Accident" worksheet in AR 385-40. These accidents are not reported on the AGAR. They require follow-up with a completed DA Form 285 or appropriate Department of Labor form for civilian personnel accidents involving injury.
- Class C & D accidents. All Class C and D accidents will be reported on the AGAR within 30 days of the date of the accident. Appropriate additional substantiating information should be attached to the AGAR when it is forwarded to the USASC. Use the appropriate Department of Labor form for civilian personnel injuries.

Off-duty accidents

- Class A & B accidents. The U.S. Army Safety Center must be notified immediately
 about any Class A or B off-duty Army ground accident. The information required is on
 the "Telephone Notification of Ground Accident" worksheet in AR 385-40. These
 accidents will require follow-up with a completed AGAR within 30 days of the date of the
 accident.
- Class C & D accidents. All Class C and D accidents will be reported on the AGAR within 30 days of the date of the accident.

Combat accident reporting

 All classes of accidents. The AGAR may be used to report all classes of accidents in areas of combat or contingency operations when the theater senior tactical commander determines that the situation, condition, and/or time does not permit normal investigation and reporting procedures. Standard reporting procedures found in AR 385-40 will be used when time and conditions permit. All Class A and B accident initial notification will be telephonic to USASC or its field representative in the theater of operations.

GROUND ACCIDENTS NOTIFICATION & REPORTING REQUIREMENTS & SUSPENSES

PEACETIME COMBAT-2

ACCIDENT	TELEPHONIC			TELEPHONIC	AGAR ONLY
CLASS	NOTIFICATION	AGAR	DA FORM 285	NOTIFICATION	By any Means Possible
	WORKSHEET			WORKSHEET	(Message Execution:
					Fax, Phone, Hand
					Carry, Mail)
ON-DUTY					As time Permits
Α	Immediately -1	Not	IAI/CAI-90	Immediately -1	(Not to Exceed 30
		Required	days		days)
					As time Permits
В	Immediately -1	Not	IAI/CAI-90	Immediately -1	(Not to Exceed 30
		Required	days		days)
					As Time Permits
С	Not Required	W/in 30	Not Required	Not Required	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)
	Not Required				As Time Permits
D		W/in 30	Not Required	Not Required	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)
OFF-DUTY					As Time Permits
Α	Immediately -1	W/in 30	Not Required	Immediately -1	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)
					As Time Permit
В	Immediately -1	W/in 30	Not Required	Immediately -1	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)
					As Time Permit
С	Not Required	W/in 30	Not Required	Not required	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)
					As Time Permit
D	Not Required	W/in 30	Not Required	Not Required	(Not to Exceed 30
		days			days)

NOTE: 1. USASC must be notified IMMEDIATELY by phone at DSN 558-2660/2539/3410 or Commercial (334) 255 2660/2539/3410 or notify Safety rep forward (during Combat).

- 2. When the senior tactical commander determined that the situation, conditions or time does not permit normal peacetime investigation and reporting.
- * Report accidents that result in injury to Army civilian employees on appropriate Department of Labor (DOL) forms IAW AR 385-40.

Forwarding forms

Forward the original of the completed AGAR to USASC. Units should consult their local Safety Office for the proper routing of reports in their commands.

When time-sensitive safety-of-use issues are involved, telephonically notify the USASC (334) 255-2660/3410 or DSN 558-2660/3410.

Forward reports to USASC as follows:

- Mail to: Commander, U.S. Army Safety Center, ATTN: CSSC-SDA, Bldg 4905, 5th Ave, Fort Rucker, AL 36362-5363
- Fax: (334) 255-2266 or DSN 558-2266
- Email: accidentinformation@safetycenter.army.mil

Points of contact for question or help in completing this form are available at your local Safety Office or at USASC (334)-255-2256/2609 or DSN 558-2256/2609.

Detailed Instructions for Completing the AGAR

Type or print all entries. Continue on blank sheets of paper if necessary, indicating the date of accident, the unit/activity accountable for the accident, and the blocks being continued. For accidents involving more than one person, the entire form will be completed on the most responsible reportable person. An additional AGAR with Blocks 1, 5, and 11 through 37 will be completed for each additional person who contributed to the cause of the accident or was injured in the accident sequence. The instructions are keyed to block numbers.

Block 1. Enter the year, month, day, and local time of the accident.

Block 2. Check the block that best describes when the accident occurred (day or night). Day is from first light to full night (dark). Night is from full dark (full night) to first light.

Block 3. Enter the appropriate accident classification ("A", "B", "C", or "D") from accident classification criteria listed on page 1.

Block 4. Check the appropriate box.

Block 5. Enter the unit or activity accountable for this accident. Also, enter the abbreviation of the unit's branch (branch of the Army with which unit is affiliated) from the list below. (NOTE: If accident was caused solely by material failure or environmental factors, enter the unit or activity experiencing the accident).

AG Adjutant General Corps

AD Air Defense Artillery

AR Armor

SP Army Medical Specialist Corps

AN Army Nurse Corps

AV Aviation

CH Chaplain

CM Chemical

DC Dental Corps

EN Engineers

FA Field Artillery

FI Finance Corps

IN Infantry

JA Judge Advocate General's Corps

MC Medical Corps

MS Medical Service Corps

MI Military Intelligence

MP Military Police

OD Ordnance

PA Public Affairs

QM Quartermaster Corps

SC Signal Corps

SF Special Forces

TC Transportation Corps

VC Veterinary Corps

Block 6a. Enter the exact location of the accident (e.g. building #, street/highway #, distance from nearest landmark, etc.). **Block 6b**. Enter one code from the list

below for the primary function of the accident location.

Maintenance/fabrication facilities

A1 Vehicle facility (motor pool, maintenance shop)

A2 Aircraft facility (hangar)

A3 Vessel facility (boat overhaul/rebuild facility)

A4 Engineer facility (carpentry, electrical, plumbing shop, etc.).

A5 Other maintenance facility

Travel wavs

B1 Pedestrian way (sidewalk)

B2 Vehicle trail (tank trail)

B3 Roadway (street, curb, shoulder, driveway)

	B6	Railroad
•	Other	operation facilities/areas
	C1	Office building
	C2	Communications facility
	C3	Construction site
	C4	Security/law-enforcement
	•	facility
	C5	Bridge
	C6	Dam
	C7	Navigation locks
	C8	Barge
	C9	•
		Dredge
	C10	Floating plant
	C11	Vessel (not elsewhere coded)
	C12	ARNG/reserve armory
)		ing areas
	D1	Range-small arms/ individual
		weapons
	D2	Range-crew-served weapons
	D3	Range-Aerial firing/
		bombing
	D4	Range-infiltration course
	D5	Dedicated non-firing training
		area (obstacle/confidence
		course, parachute drop zone,
		landing zone, stage field)
	D6	Temporary training area (unit
		assembly area, bivouac area)
	D7	Range-EOD
	D ,	Range LOD
	Sarvi	ce facilities
		Library
	E2	Chapel/church
	E3	Child-care center
	E4	Post office
	E5	Laboratory
	E6	Medical care facility
	E7	Fire station
	E8	Commissary
	E9	Post Exchange
	E10	Dining Facilities
	E11	Post exchange, gas station,
		etc.
	E12	Museum
	E13	Animal-care facility

B4

B5

Parking lot

runway)

Aircraft way (flight line,

E14 Refuse disposal area E15 Laundry/dry cleaning facility **Terrain and water locations** F1 Sloped terrain (ditch, mountain) F2 Wooded terrain (forest, swamp, marsh) F3 Open terrain (field, desert) Moving bodies of water F4 (creek, stream, river) Standing bodies of water F5 (pond, lake, ocean) F6 Lake shore/beach Storage facilities G1 Storage building G2 Outside storage area (POL

Plant and factories

H1 Heating plant

area)

H2 Printing plant

H3 Electrical generating plant (includes power substation)

dump, property disposal

H4 Ammunition/weapons manufacturing plant

H5 Other industrial plants and factories

Recreational/entertainment facilities

Indoor facilities (bowling alley, gym, movie theater, swimming pool)

Outdoor facilities (playing fields, gold course, swimming pool)

Housing facilities

J1 Family housing

J2 Individual housing (BOQ, barracks rooms)

• Freight and passenger terminals

K1 Airports/Airfield (includes control tower)

- **K3** Port/dock/wharf
- K4 Vehicle terminal (bus station, truck terminal)

School facilities

- L1 Kindergarten through grade 12
- L2 Army-operated technical/ occupational training facilities/classrooms
- L3 Non-Army-operated technical/operational training facilities/classrooms (university/college classes)

Hobby shop

- M1 Auto hobby shop
- M2 Woodworking hobby shop
- M3 Other hobby shop

Block 6c. Enter the name of the state or country in which the accident occurred. **Block 6d**. Indicate whether the accident occurred on-or-off-post; if on-post, enter the name of the installation/activity.

Block 7a. Check yes if explosives, ammunition, or pyrotechnics were **PRESENT.**

Block 7b. Check yes if explosives, ammunition or pyrotechnics were **INVOLVED**.

Block 8a. Briefly describe the mission the individual or unit was conducting at the time of the accident. If off duty, so state.

Block 8b. Was the task a METL task? Check the appropriate box.

Block 9. "Involved" means vehicle/equipment/material/property that is damaged, whose use or misuse, materiel failure/malfunction caused or contributed to the accident. Include Army and non-Army equipment/ material. Use one line for each piece of equipment or item and enter the

requested information. Continue on blank paper if necessary.

Block 9a. Enter the name of the equipment /material involved.

Block 9b. Enter the equipment model.

Block 9c. Indicate who owns the vehicle/equipment/material (e.g., DOD, DA, POV, etc.).

Block 9d. Enter an estimate of the damage cost for the piece of equipment listed in block 9a.

Block 9e. From the list below, select the type(s) of collision in which this property material was involved. More than one collision type might be appropriate for the property/material. If so, enter, up to three in the space provided. If "Other" is selected, specify the type of collision in the space provided. If no collision was involved, leave blank.

- 1 Going forward and collided with moving vehicle
- **2** Going forward and collided with parked vehicle
- 3 Collision while backing
- **4** Collision with pedestrian
- 5 Collision with object other than vehicle/pedestrian
- 6 Overturned
- **7** Ran off road
- 8 Jackknifed
- **9** Going forward and rearended moving vehicle
- Going forward and rearended stopped vehicle
- 11 Collision while turning
- **12** Other (specify)

NOTE: If the item in block 9a experienced a material failure or malfunction that caused or contributed

to the accident, complete blocks 9f-9k and block 10. If not, skip to block 11.

Block 9f. Enter the code from the list below that indicates how the component/part failed or malfunctioned (mode or failure). Explanation of these codes is contained Table B-3, Appendix B, DA PAM 385-40.

- Overheated/burned/ melted. (Key words: blister, boil, carbonize, char, flame, fuse, and glaze)
- **02** Froze (temperature). (Key words: congeal, solidify)
- Obstructed/pinched/clogged. (Key words: block, crimp, restrict)
- **04** Vibrated. (Key words: oscillate, shake)
- **05** Rubbed/worn/frayed. (Key score, scrape)
- **06** Corroded/rusted/pitted. (Key words: erode, oxidize)
- **07** Over-pressured/burst. (Key words: balloon, bulge, explode, rupture, swell)
- **08** Pulled/stretched. (Key word elongate)
- **09** Twisted/torque. (Key words: turn)
- 10 Compressed/hit/ punctured. (Key words: chip, collapse, crush, dent, nick, pinch, press)
- 11 Bent/warped. (Key words: bow, buckle)
- Sheared/cut. (Key word: chop, sever)
- 13 Decayed/decompose. (Key words: mildew, rot, spoiled)
- 14 Electric current action. (Key words: short arc, fusing, grounding, amperage, voltage, surge)
- 97 Insufficient data to determine mode of failure

Block 10. Check the appropriate box, which best describes the cause for the Material failures/malfunction. Failures can be caused by leader, standard, or support failures:

Leader failure:

Standards/procedures are known but are not enforced.

- Standards failure: Standards/procedures are not clear/practical or do not exist (
 - clear/practical or do not exist (e.g., AR, TM, FM, SOP, etc.).
- Support failure: Shortcomings in type capability, amount, or condition of equipment, supplies, services, or facilities (equipment/material not provided or improperly designed, inadequate manufacture or maintenance, or inadequate facilities/services; shortcomings in personnel by quantity of qualifications.

Block 10a. Determine the underlying reason (root cause) the material failed or malfunction and check the block accordingly (see Table B-5, Appendix B, DA PAM 385-40, for an explanation of terms)

Block 10b. Describe how the material failed or malfunctioned and explain why (explain mode of failure from block 9f and root cause from block 10a).

Block 11. Enter last name, first name, and middle initial of involved person. Include UIC if it is different from block 5a. Note: If more than one person is involved (injured or had a causal or contributing role) then an additional AGAR with blocks 1, 5, and 11-37 completed, is required.

Block 12. Enter the SSN of the individual listed in block 11.

Block 13. Enter the code from the list below for the classification (at the time of the accident) of the person listed in block 11.

Enter only ONE code.

- **A** Active Army
- **B** Army civilian
- **C** Army contractor
- **D** Non-appropriate fund
- **E** Other U.S. military
- **F** ROTC
- **G** Dependent
- H NGB technician
- I NGB IDT
- J NGB AT
- **K** NGB ADSW
- L NGB AGR
- M NGB ADT
- N7 NGB Activated to active duty
- N USAR IDT
- O USAR AT
- P USAR ADT
- **Q** USAR FTM
- **R6** USAR Activated to active duty
- R Foreign Nat'l Direct Hire
- **S** Foreign Nat'l Indirect Hire
- T Foreign Nat'l KATUSA
- **U** Foreign Nat'l attached to U.S.
- Army
- V Public
- W Not Reported

Block 14. Enter the MOS or job series of the individual listed in block 11.

Block 15. Check the appropriate box to reflect the duty status at the time of the accident of the individual listed in block 11.

Block 16. Enter the age of the individual listed in block 11.

Block 17. Enter "M" for male or "F" for female.

Block 18. Enter the rank/pay grade for the individual listed in block 11 (e.g., E5, 03, GS-11, WG-8),

Block 19. Check the appropriate box (for government personnel only) to indicate the military flight status of the individual listed in block 11.

Block 20a. Enter the code that indicates the severity of the injury to the individual. If more that one applies, enter the most severe. See Glossary, Section II, Terms, AR 385-40 for definition of the following.

- A Fatal
- **B** Permanent total disability
- **C** Permanent partial disability
- **D** Days away from work
- **E** Restricted work activity
- **F** First Aid only
- **G** No Injury

Block 20b. Enter the code that best describes this person's most serious injury type.

- A Burns (chemical)
- **B** Burns (thermal)
- **C** Amputation
- **D** Decompression sickness
- **E** Asphyxiation (suffocation)
- **F** Fractures
- **G** Dislocation
- **H** Abrasions
- I Concussion
- **J** Sprains/strain
- **K** Cuts/lacerations
- **L** Contusion
- M Puncture wound
- **N** Hernia, rupture
- 0 Frostbite
- P Heatstroke
- **Q** Heat exhaustion
- R Noise injury/illness
- **S** Other (specify)
- NA None/non-applicable

Block 20c. Enter the code that best described the most seriously injured part of this person's body. (Body part entered

here should be one with the injury indicated in previous block.)

- A Body (general, cannot specify)
- **B** Head
- **C** Forehead
- **D** Eves
- E Nose
- **F** Jaw
- **G** Neck
- **H** Trunk
- I Chest
- **J** Heart
- **K** Back
- L Shoulder
- M Arms
- N Wrist
- O Hand
- **P** Fingers
- **Q** Leg
- R Knee
- **S** Ankle
- **T** Foot
- **U** Toes
- V Other
- NA None/non-applicable

Block 20d. Enter the code that best describes the cause of the most serious injury to this individual.

- A Struck against
- **B** Struck by
- **C** Fell from elevation
- **D** Fell from same level
- E Caught in/under/between
- F Rubbed/abraded
- **G** Bodily reaction
- **H** Overexertion
- I Exposure
- J External contact
- **K** Ingested
- L Inhaled
- M Thrown from
- NA None/non-applicable

Block 21. Enter the estimated or actual total number of days this individual will be hospitalized (inpatient/admitted) receiving treatment. Do not include days hospitalized for "observation only".

Block 22a. Enter the estimated or actual number of days this individual will be away from work (totally unable to perform any work, on bed rest/quarters). **Do not include** days hospitalized listed in Block 21, or the day of injury.

Block 22b. Enter the estimated or actual number of workdays the individual will not be able to perform all of his or her regular duties AFTER going back to work (light duty/profile).

Block 23. Enter the code from the list below that best describes the individual's activity at the time of the accident. Enter only one code. Check the most relevant activity to the cause of the accident if the person was engaged in more than one activity at the time. For definitions, see section III, glossary, DA PAM 385-40.

- A Soldiering
- **B** Combat soldiering
- **C** Physical training
- D Weapons handling
- **E** Engineering or construction
- **F** Communication
- **G** Security/law enforcement
- **H** Fire-fighting
- I Patient care
- J Test/study/experiments
- **K** Educational
- L Information and art
- **M** Food and drug inspection
- **N** Laundry/dry cleaning
- O Pest/plant control
- P Operating vehicle/vessel
- **Q** Handling animal
- R Maintenance/repair/ servicing
- **S** Fabricating
- T Handling material/ passengers

- **U** Janitorial/housekeeping, etc.
- **V** Food/drink/ preparation
- **W** Supervisory
- **X** Office
- Y Counseling/advisory
- Z SportsAA Hobbies
- **BB** Passenger
- **CC** Human movement
- **DD** Horseplay
- **EE** By-standing/spectating
- **FF** Personal hygiene/
- eating/sleeping
- **GG** Parachuting

Block 24. Enter a concise description of the individual activity/task at the time of the accident.

Block 25a. Check YES or NO to indicate whether any personal protective clothing or equipment was required for the activity/task being performed by this individual. If YES, complete blocks 25b-d. If NO, skip to block 26.

Block 25b. Enter the code for the type of equipment that was required.

- A Seat belt
- **B** Helmet
- C Goggles/glasses
- **D** Gloves
- **E** Earplugs
- **F** Other (specify)

Blocks 25c & 25d. If protective clothing and equipment was required, indicate it was required, and whether or not it was: available and used, available and not used, or not available by entering YES or NO in the appropriate blocks (block 25c and 25d).

Block 26. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not alcohol/drugs caused or contributed to the accident.

Block 27. Enter the item number (e.g., #1, #2) from block 9a that indicates which

piece of equipment this individual was associated with.

Block 28. If this individual was operating a vehicle or equipment (at the time of the accident) that required a license to operate, indicate if the individual had such a license (up-to-date). If no license was required or no equipment was being operated, skip to block 29.

Block 29. Enter the number of continuous hours (without sleep) this individual was on duty before the accident.

Block 30. Enter the number of hours sleep (cumulative) this individual had in the past 24 hours.

Block 31. Indicate whether the activity listed in blocks 23 and 24 was part of tactical training (training in field environment that used or develops combat or combat support skills (see note below).

NOTE: For this report, the following definitions apply:

- Tactical training. Training (in a field environment) that uses or develops combat or combat support skills.
- Field exercise and tactical training. Begins when the individual reports to his or her primary duty location for movement to the field site and ends when he or she arrived back at the primary duty location from the field.

Block 32. If the individual was participating in any type of training, enter the code for the type of training facility being used. If not applicable, leave blank.

- **A** Garrison
- **B** Local training area
- C Major training area
- **D** NTC

- E JRTC
- F CMTC
- G Standard range facility/live fire
- **H** Other (specify)

Block 33. For the activity specified in blocks 23 and 24, enter the number of months since last time the individual received training before the accident.

Block 34. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether the individual was on command designated field-training exercise, if it has a name (e.g., Team Spirit, Reforger, and Gallant Eagle) place the name in the space provided. Check "NO" if the individual was not participating in a field training exercise.

Block 35. Indicate if night vision systems/ devices were being used by this individual at the time of the accident (e.g., night vision goggles, ANPVS-5-A). If used, specify the type. If they caused or contributed to the accident, explain in block 39.

Block 36a. Did this individual make a mistake (definite or suspected) that caused and/or contributed to the accident or to the severity of injury and/or damage to property? If the answer is YES complete block 36b & c and block 37. If NO, skip to block 38.

Block 36b. Enter the code from the list below that best indicates the type of mistake made by this individual. See Table B-2, Appendix B, DA PAM 385-40 for explanation and examples of the mistakes/error codes.

- General mistakes/errors
 - **01** Inadequate planning.
 - **02** Failed to lock, block, or secure; e.g., load.

- 03 Inadequate inspections or checks of vehicle or equipment.
- Failed to use required safety equipment, device, guard, sign, or signal.
- Operating while fatigued when not necessary or directed.
- **06** Improper use of equipment.
- **07** Improper lifting
- Pailed to take appropriate precautions for adverse environmental conditions (rain, haze, fog, snow, ice, and reduced visibility).
- **09** Improper body position.
- 10 Improperly walked, ran, or climbed.
- 11 Failed to stay alert or attentive to what was happening (situational awareness of environment, conditions, and operations).
- Failed to ensure adequate clearance/space (enough room) for operation.
- Misjudge clearance (improperly estimated or evaluated).
- 14 Improper weapons handling.
- 15 Improper handling of pyrotechnics or explosives
- 16 Incorrectly pulled or pushed equipment or material.
- 17 Failed to firmly grip or hold equipment or material
- 18 Inadequate crew coordination or communication.

(Items 19 through 39 reserved for future use.)

- Vehicle/equipment specific
 - **40** Excessive speed.
 - 41 Improper passing.
 - 42 Improper turning.
 - Failed to yield right-of –way (other than while turning).

- Failed to stop at controlled intersection.
- **45** Improperly stopped or parked.
- 46 Improper backing.
- **47** Failed to use ground guide when required.
- 48 Ground guide used improperly or incorrect position, signal, or procedure.
- Following too close for environmental conditions or vehicle speed/design.
- **50** Driving in wrong lane.
- 51 Improper lane change.
- 52 Improper braking.
- Improperly shifted gears on vehicle or equipment.
- Abrupt controls or steering response (except while turning).
- Improperly mounted or dismounted vehicle or equipment.
- Operated vehicle or equipment with known malfunction or unsafe mechanical conditions.

(Items 57-74 reserved for future use.)

Supervisor specific

- 75 Improper personnel selection or assignment.
- 76 Knowingly allowed equipment operator to violate procedures.
- 77 Failed to ensure proper positioning of personnel before vehicle equipment operation.
- 78 Failed to inform or brief personnel adequately for mission accomplishment.
- 97 Insufficient information reported to identify mistake or error.

Block 36c. Describe the mistake and how it caused or contributed to the accident. Be specific.

Block 37. General. Mistakes can be caused by shortcomings of leaders, training, standards, support, or the individual:

- Leader failure. Standards or procedures are known but are not enforced.
- Training failure. Standards exist but school, unit, or on the job training or individual experience is insufficient in content or amount.
- Standards failure. Standards or procedures are not clear or practical or do not exist; e.g., AR, TM, FM, SOP, etc.
- Support failure. Shortcomings in type, capability, amount, or condition of equipment, supplies, service, or facilities (equipment or material not provided or improperly designed, inadequate manufacture or maintenance, or inadequate facilities or services); personnel by quantity or qualifications.
- Individual failure. Standards are known but are not followed.

Block 37a. Check the box that best describes why this individual made the mistake cited in block 36. See Table B-5, Appendix B,

DA PAM 385-40 for definitions of specific causes to help determine the readiness shortcomings or causes responsible for the mistake or error.

Block 37b. Describe the root cause and tell how it caused the mistake. Make sure that the root cause for each error listed in block 36 is addressed.

Block 38. Enter the codes (no more than three) from the list below to indicate the conditions present at the time of the

accident. Also indicate whether the condition caused or contributed to the accident by checking the caused/contributed block and, if YES, explaining in block 39.

- A Clear/dry
- B Bright/glare
- C Dark/dim
- D Fog/condensation/frost
- E Mist/rain/sleet/hail
- F Snow/Ice
- **G** Dust, fumes, gases, smoke, vapors
- **H** Noise, bang, static
- I Temperature/humidity (cold/heat)
- **J** Storm, hurricane, tornado
- **K** Wind gust/turbulence
- L Vibrate/shimmy/sway shake
- M Radiation/Laser/sunlight
- N Holes/rocky/ rough/ rutted/ uneven
- O Inclined/steep
- P Slippery (not due to precipitation)
- Q Air pressure (bends, hypoxia, decompression, altitude)
- R Lightning/static electricity/ grounding
- **S** Electromagnetic radiation
- T Other (specify)

Block 39. Provide a synopsis of the accident explaining what and how the accident happened. The synopsis should include the events leading up to the accident, the actual accident sequence, and the post accident scene and actions. For example, if a soldier was involved in an off-duty POV accident, be sure to indicate where the soldier was going, where he/she was coming from, etc... Also, please address whether the soldier was on leave, pass, PCSing or in a TDY status.

Block 40. Briefly describe all actions taken, planned, or recommended to

eliminate, or at least reduce, the root cause(s) of this accident and prevent similar accidents from happening (See Table B-6, Appendix B, DA PAM 385-40). This section should not be solely focused on the individual soldier; instead, it should address the root causes and how to keep a like accident from occurring. Reporting punitive actions are not appropriate for this report.

Block 41. Enter the individual's name, rank, position, and military email address for the individual that can answer questions about this accident.

Block 42. Enter the name, rank, and signature of the command review authority.

Block 43. Enter the name of the Safety office reviewing official. Please include their phone number and official email address.

Ε	
X	
a	
m	
p	
е	

l	U.S. ARMY ABBREVIATED GROUND ACCIDENT REPORT (AGAR) For use of this form, see AR 385-40 and DA Pamphlet 385-40; the proponent agency is OCSA **REQUIREMENT CONTROL SYMBOL CSOCS-308**																
1. TIME & DATE	E OF ACCID	ENT a. Yr: 00	b. Mth: 05	c. Day: 10	Time: 001	15 2. F Nigl		DAY 🗌 Day 🛭	⅓	3. ACI	DT CL	l N	loncomb	at	DURING	6: Combat	\boxtimes
5. UNIT IDEN				(6-digit Code)				Jnit: B Co, A-11		İ		С	. Unit's E	Branch: OD	d.	MACOM: F	ORSCOM
6. LOCATION								f A and B street									ocation: B3
c. State / Cour				Post 🛛 On I	Post Na	me: Fort	Fun	7. EXPLO	OSIVE:	S / AMMC)	a. Presen	t 🗌 Ye			volved 🔲 Ye	
8. MISSION		efly describe th		: Off Duty												Task? 🔲 Yes	s ⊠ No
9. VEHICLE /														alfunction Info			
a. Type o (Nomenc		b. Model	# C.	Ownership		stimated f Damage	e. Vehicle Collision			g. Part menclatur	re	h. Part #	1.1	Part NSN	Man	. Part ufacturer Code	k. EIR/QDR Submitted
#1: Honda		Accord		POV	17,0	00.00	7 & 6	'							`	Ouc	☐ Yes ☐ No
#2:																	☐ Yes ☐ No
10. WHY DID	THE MAT		IAI FUNC	TION? (Check	the root car	ıse(s) in Block	ca In Block b	explain how the root of	cause(s)	led to the ma	aterial fai	ilure / malfunction	b. D	escribe how t	he mate	rial failed / ma	
a.	LEAD			S / PROCEE				SUF	PORT					explain why (r			
		enforce standard		ot clear / Not pr		_		e, acceptability, amou	unt, or co								
	upervision		□ A			designe	ed	I improperly			•	Manufacture					
Unit Com	nmand Sup	ervision	□ TM	☐ Othe	er	☐ Equ	iip / Materia	I not provided		☐ Inade	equate	Maintenance	е				
☐ Higher C	Command s	upervision	FM	☐ Non	e exists	☐ Inad	dequate Fac	cilities / Services	6	☐ Othe	er						
11. NAME (Last	t, First, MI) (I	nclude Address & U	IIC if different	than Blks 5a & b.	12. S	OCIAL SEC		13. PERSONNEL A	CLASS	SIFICATION	N:	14. MOS: 15	C10	15. DUTY	STATUS	☐ On-duty 🛛	Off-duty
Smith, Joe	ey K.					11-22-3	333	16. AGE: 21 1	_			18. PAY GRAD	DE: E-4	19. FLIGH	T STATU	S □ Yes 🏻	No
					20. M	OST SEVE	RE INJURY (See Instructions)	a. De	egree: C		b. Туре: F		c. Body Pa	art: B d	d. Cause: A	
21. DAYS HO		ĒD						CTIVITY OF IN								·	
18 22. WORKDA		23. COD)F	24. SPECIF	IC DES			st in instructions	s) and o	describe i	in spac	e below					
	110		· L					vehicle at th	he tin	ne of th	ne ac	cident					
a. Lost: 90		P		1110 0010		о орого	ung uno	vornoio at ti		110 01 11	10 40	oldolli.					
b. Restricted:																	
25. PERSONA	AL PROTE	CTIVE EQUIP	MENT	26. ALCOH Unk	OL / DRI	JGS CAU	SED / CON	T ⊠ Yes □ I	No 🗌	27	7. EQU	IP THIS PER	SON W	AS ASSOCIA	TED WIT	ΓΗ? (Enter item l	No. from Blk 9a.) : 1
	b. Type Equip	c. Available	d. Used	28. LICENSE TO	D 2	9. HRS	30. HRS	31. TACTICAL	32.	TYPE TRA	AINING	33. LAST	34. FI EXER	ELD TRAINING CISE		35. NIGHT VIS	ON SYSTEM USED
	#1: a #2:	#1: Yes #2:	#1: Yes #2:	OPERATE E		ON DUTY 12	SLEEP 8	TRAINING ☐ Yes ☒ No		CILITY		TRAINING	— □ Y ⊠ N	es If Yes, provide	name	☐ Yes If Yes ☑ No	, provide name.
								In Blk a., indicate if		ll made a mis	stake. If	ves provide the c			b. and desc		
a. Mistake		c. Tell what the							man rada	ii maao a me	otano. n	yee provide are e	ouo (nom.	ion donorio, in Birt	2. 4.74 4000	51.50 III 2.III 6.	
										ام ما -	ا۔ میں	The!	l:				
Yes No No						•	i contrav	ention to th	e pos	stea sp	eea.	The soic	lier wa	ıs traveling	g appr	oximately	
		60-70 mile:	s per ho	our in a 30	mph z	one.											
b. Code																	
40																	
40																	

DA FORM - 285 - AB - R, JUL 94

E
X
a
m
p
е

37	NHY WAS THE MISTAKE MADE	(ROOT CALISE) (Check the	root cause(s) in Rlk a In Rlk	b. tell how the root cause(s) led to the mistake	۵)					
a.	LEADER	TRAINING		ROCEDURES	SUPPORT	<i>)</i>		INDI	VIDUAL		
ω.	(Not ready, willing to enforce standards)	(Insufficient in Content / Amount)	(Not clea	r / Not practical)	(Shortcoming in type, capability, amount, or condition of	of equip, supp	olies, services, or facilities.)		own personal factors)		
\boxtimes	Direct Supervision	☐ School	☐ AR	SOP	☐ Equip / Material improperly designed	☐ Ina	dequate Manufacture	☐ Poor / Bad attitude	☐ Fatigue		
	Unit Command Supervision	☐ Unit	☐ TM	☐ Other	☐ Equip / Material not provided	☐ Ina	dequate Maintenance	☐ Overconfident	Alcohol, Drugs		
	Higher Command Supervision	☐ Experience, OJT ☐ FM ☐ None exist ☐ Inadequate Facilities / Services ☐ Other						☐ In a hurry	☐ Fear / Excitement		
The	38. ÉNVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS a. Present b. Caused / Contributed The soldier's decision making process was hindered by his consumption of alcohol. The soldier had no known history of speeding or other traffic related offenses and always demonstrated good driving habits while operating military vehicles. The soldier was not counseled, briefed, or integrated back into the unit by anyone in his chain of command after arriving back from the long deployment. #1: C										
39.	PROVIDE BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF	ACCIDENT (Use additional sh	eets if requi	red) (Explain sec	quence of events, tell how accident happened))	ļ				
pur with veh inju con	After being deployed for several months at the JRTC, SPC Smith and SPC Wrench volunteered to go to the NTC to provide maintenance assistance in support of vehicle rail load operations while the rest of the unit returned to home station. The two soldiers were accompanied by their team chief, SFC Donaldson. After completing the mission at the NTC, the team chief sent the two soldiers back to their home station while he remained to tie up some loose ends. The soldiers arrived at their unit around 1600 hours and were scheduled to sign-out on leave the following day. The unit was on a scheduled block leave and would deploy to the NTC later that month. Once the soldier's arrived at the barracks, they changed clothes and began drinking beer. A little before midnight, they ran out of beer and drove to a nearby shoppette to purchase more beer. After purchasing the beer, they drove back toward the barracks. The driver, SPC Smith, accelerated the vehicle achieving speeds between 60-70 mph within a 1/3 of a mile. As the driver approached a left S-curve in the road, he lost control of the vehicle and it slid off the roadway into the gravel area to the right of the road. The vehicle continued slide until reached an embankment and then rolled down the 15 foot embankment landing upright. The passenger sustained massive head and abdominal injuries which resulted in his death. The driver sustained multiple facial fractures and suffered a sever head injury. Although the driver survived the accident, he remains in critical condition and may suffer permanent brain damage. A vehicle traveling in the opposite direction witnessed the accident and called 911. Emergency response personnel were on the scene within 6 minutes. The passenger showed no signs of life and was pronounced dead at the scene. The driver was transported to the hospital.										
Uni Hig Arm	40. CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) TAKEN OR PLANNED. Jnit level: 1) Commander, B Co, A-111 Bn: a. Ensure all personnel returning from deployments report to their supervisor for instructions and appropriate briefings prior to releasing them from duty. b. Brief all unit personnel on the facts and circumstances surrounding this accident. 2) Commander, A-111 Bn, establish a policy for integrating personnel back into the unit after deployments. High level: None. 41. POINT OF CONTACT FOR INFORMATION ON THE ACCIDENT 3. Name (Last, First, MI): Johnson, Mary K. MAJ, BN Safety Officer Mary, Johnson@us.army.mil b. Telephone # DSN: 333-2222										
								COM: 111-333-2222			
	COMMAND REVIEW a. Name:	White, Donald D.			c. Rank: LTC	43.	SAFETY OFFICE I	REVIEW	b. Date		
b. S	ignature				d. Date: 20 May 00		lame eph Jones, GS-1	2 DSN 333-2525	25 May 00		

REVERSE OF DA FORM 285 - AB - R, JUL 94

JonesJ@Fun.Army.mil

PAGE 2

NOTE: This is just one example. Apply the same reporting techniques and principles for all accidents reported on the AGAR.

I	E	
1	X	
ć	a	Ì
ľ	Y	1
	p)
(е	,

U.S. ARMY ABBREVIATED GROUND ACCIDENT REPORT (AGAR) REQUIREMENT CONTROL SYMBOL																	
	For use of this form, see AR 385-40 and DA Pamphlet 385-40; the proponent agency is OCSA CSOCS-308																
1. TIME & DATE OF AC	CIDENT a.	Yr: 00 b.	Mth: 05 c	c. Day: 10 Tir	me: 001	5 2. F Nig		DAY 🗌 Day 🛭		3.	ACDT C		I. ACD	Γ OCCURRED	DURING	6: Combat	t 🗌
5. UNIT IDENTIFICATION a. UIC (6-digit Code): WB123R Name of Unit: B Co, A-111 BN c. Unit's Branch: OD d. MACOM: FORSCOM									ORSCOM								
6. LOCATION OF AC								of A and B street						2.4		b. Type L	
c. State / Country: A				ost 🗌 On Po				7. EXPL			MMO	a. Preser	nt 🗆 Y	′es 🗌 No	b. In	volved \(\square\) Yo	
	Briefly des						-				_					Task? Tes	
9. VEHICLE / EQUIP												Material F	ailure /	Malfunction Ir	formation		
a. Type of Item (Nomenclature)	b.	. Model #	c. O	wnership		timated Damage	e. Vehicle Collision		No	g. Pa mencl		h. Part #	I	Mar		. Part ufacturer Code	k. EIR/QDR Submitted
#1:																	☐ Yes ☐ No
#2:																	☐ Yes ☐ No
10. WHY DID THE M	ATERIAL F	ΕΔΙΙ / ΜΔΙ	FUNCTI	ON2 (Chack the	o root cau	so(s) in Ploc	k a In Plack by	ovalain how the root	001100/0) lad to th	ho matarial f	ailuro / malfunctio	, h	Describe how	the mate	rial failed / ma	
	ADER	AIL / IVIAL		S / PROCEDU		se(s) in Bioc	K a. III BIOCK D, C		PPOR		ne materiai i	allure / mallunction		d explain why			allulicilolleu
(Not ready / willing		standards)		clear / Not prac	_	(Sho	rtcomings in typ	e, acceptability, amo			of equip / su	upplies / facilities)	—	a oxpiaii iiiiy	(1001 0000	·/·	
☐ Direct Supervisi		,	☐ AR		,	☐ Equ		l improperly		<u> </u>	nadequa	te Manufactur	е				
☐ Unit Command	Supervision	n	TM	☐ Other				I not provided		<u> </u>	nadequa	te Maintenand	e				
☐ Higher Commar	d supervis	sion		☐ None	exists	☐ Ina	dequate Fac	cilities / Services	3		Other						
11. NAME (Last, First, M	l) (Include Ad	ldress & UIC i	FM f different that	an Blks 5a & b.)	12. S	OCIAL SE	CURITY#	13. PERSONNEL	. CLAS	SIFICA	ATION:	14. MOS: 15	C10	15. DUT	Y STATUS	☐ On-duty 区	Off-duty
NA/ I NA' . I .	1.5.1				,	00 44 5		Α		1.4				4 10 FLIC	HT STATII	S □ Yes ⊠	No
Wrench, Michae	el IV.					23-44-5	5555	16. AGE: 21	17. SE	X: IVI	_	18. PAY GRA	DE: L-	T			110
					20. M	OST SEVE		See Instructions)			Α	b. Type: F		c. Body I	Part: B d	. Cause: A	
21. DAYS HOSPITA	LIZED						-	CTIVITY OF IN			., .						
22. WORKDAYS	2	3. CODE		24. SPECIFIC				st in instructions	s) and	descri	ibe in spa	ice below					
a. Lost:								n the vehicl	e at	the ti	ime of	the accide	ent.				
a. Lost.		BB				[3 -										
b. Restricted:																	
25. PERSONAL PRO	TECTIVE I	EQUIPME		26. ALCOHO Unk	L / DRU	JGS CAU	SED / CON	T ⊠ Yes □	No []	27. EQ	UIP THIS PER	RSON V	VAS ASSOCI	ATED WI	ΓΗ? (Enter item	No. from Blk 9a.) : 1
a. Required b. Type E	quip c. Ava	railable d	. Used	28. LICENSED TO	2	9. HRS	30. HRS	31. TACTICAL	32	. TYPE	TRAINING	33. LAST		FIELD TRAINING		35. NIGHT VIS	ION SYSTEM USED
☐ Yes #1: A ☐ No #2:	#1: [*]		1: Yes	OPERATE EQU		N DUTY 12	SLEEP 8	TRAINING ☐ Yes ☑ No		CILITY	′	TRAINING		Yes If Yes, provi	de name	☐ Yes If Yes	s, provide name.
36. DID INDIVIDUAL										ıal made	a mistake	If yes provide the		-	lk h and desi		
a. Mistake				is and how it					mannac	ai maac	a motano.	n yes provide the	ouc (non	r motradadno) in D	in b. and deci	STIDE IIT DIK C.	
Yes (suspected)																	
☐ No	At the	e preser	nt time	the board	is un	able to	fully det	ermine if th	e so	ldier	made	an error b	ecaus	se the pas	senger	is deceas	ed and the
								uspects the									
b. Code															ateu ui	ivei to op	CIALE LITE
	venici	ie at ex	cessive	speeds.	rne	unver \	พลร เเลง	eling approx	ama	lely 6	50-70 h	npn in a 3	ompn	zone.			
76																	

	E
	X
	a
I	m
	p I
	e

37. \	37. WHY WAS THE MISTAKE MADE (ROOT CAUSE) (Check the root cause(s) in Blk a. In Blk b. tell how the root cause(s) led to the mistake.)									
a.	LEADER	TRAINING		ROCEDURES	SUPPORT			INDI	VIDUAL	
	(Not ready, willing to enforce standards)	(Insufficient in Content / Amount)	(Not clea	r / Not practical)	(Shortcoming in type, capability, amount, or condition of e				own personal factors)	
\boxtimes	Direct Supervision	☐ School	☐ AR	SOP	☐ Equip / Material improperly designed	☐ Inadequate Manufac	cture	☐ Poor / Bad attitude	☐ Fatigue	
	Unit Command Supervision	☐ Unit	☐ TM	☐ Other	☐ Equip / Material not provided	☐ Inadequate Mainten	ance		☑ Alcohol, Drugs	
	Higher Command Supervision	☐ Experience, OJT	☐ FM	☐ None exist	☐ Inadequate Facilities / Services	Other		☐ In a hurry	☐ Fear / Excitement	
	escribe root cause(s) and tell how	38. ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS								
5. Essay is a real square for item in a mission with the mission of the mission o									ised / Contributed	
Th	e soldier's decision makir	nd process was hinde	er from	alcohol con	sumption. The soldier was no	t counseled				
							#1: 0		Yes ☐ No ☐ Unk	
					ommand after arriving back fror					
de	ployment. The passenge	r had been counsele	d sever	al times pre	eviously for participating in una	uthorized	#2:		∕es □ No □ Unk	
	eet drag racing."			•	, , , , ,					
311	cet drag facilig.						#3:	□ \	∕es □ No □ Unk	
ı										
39.	PROVIDE BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF	ACCIDENT (Use additional shi	eets if reavii	red.) (Explain sec	quence of events, tell how accident happened)					
	NOVIDE BRIEF CTIVOLOGO	TOOLD ETTT (OUG additional on	ooto ii roquii	ou.) (Explain ood	quones or evente, ten new decident nappened)					
i										
ı										
40	CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) TAKEN	LOD DI ANNED								
40.	CORRECTIVE ACTION(5) TAKE	NOR PLANNED.								
i										
l										
i										
i										
i										
4.4	DOINT OF CONTACT FOR WES	DIAATION ON THE ACCUS	-NIT							
	POINT OF CONTACT FOR INFO	KMATION ON THE ACCIDE	:N I							
a. N	ame (Last, First, MI):	·				b. Telephone				
	·						CC			
42.	COMMAND REVIEW a. Name:				c. Rank:	43.			b. Date	
	gnature				d. Date:	a. Name			i	
.	3				1					

REVERSE OF DA FORM 285 - AB - R, JUL 94

PAGE 2

U.S. ARMY ABBREVIATED GROUND ACCIDENT REPORT (AGAR) REQUIREMENT CONTROL SYMBOL																			
	For use of this form, see AR 385-40 and DA Pamphlet 385-40; the proponent agency is OCSA CSOCS-308																		
1. TIMI	E & DATE OF ACC	CIDEN	T a. Yr: 00	o. Mth: 05	c. Day:	10 Tim	ne: 0015	5 2. F Nig		DAY 🗌 Day [3.	ACDT C		. ACD	COCCURRED	DURING	6: Combat	t 🗌
5. UNI	T IDENTIFICAT	ION		a. UIC (6-digit C	ode): V	NB123I			Jnit: B Co, A-1	11 BN			C	. Unit's	Branch: OD	d.	MACOM: F	ORSCOM
6. LO	CATION OF AC	CIDEN	NT.	a. Exac	t Locatio	n <i>(Deta</i>	iled to	local site,): Corner o	f A and B stree	t, Ft Fu	un		•		b. Type Location:			_ocation:
c. Stat	e / Country: Al	abama	a d.	Off F	Post 🗌	On Pos	st Nan	ne: Fort	Fun	7. EXPL	.OSIVE	S/AN	MMO	a. Preser	ıt 🗌 Y	′es 🗌 No	b. In	volved 🗌 Y	es 🗌 No
8. MIS	SION a.	Briefly	describe the	e mission:	: Off Du	ıty								-			o. METL	Task? 🗌 Ye:	s 🗌 No
	HICLE / EQUIPN	/ENT	INVOLVED											Material Fa	ailure /	Malfunction Int	ormation		
a. Type of Item b. Model # (Nomenclature)			¢ C.	c. Ownership			imated Damage	e. Vehicle Collision			g. Part omenclature		h. Part #		I. Part NSN Ma		. Part ufacturer Code	k. EIR/QDR Submitted	
#1:	#1:																		☐ Yes ☐ No
#2:																			☐ Yes ☐ No
10. W	HY DID THE MA	TERL	AL FAIL / MA	ALFUNCT	TION? (C	Check the	root caus	se(s) in Block	ka In Block h	explain how the root	cause(s) led to th	he material t	failure / malfunction	b.	Describe how	the mate	rial failed / ma	
a.		ADER		STE	S / PRO	CEDUF	RES	, o (o)	t a. III Blook b,		PPOR		no materiar i	anaro / manariotor		explain why			
	Not ready / willing	to enfo	orce standards		ot clear / N			(Shor	rtcomings in typ	e, acceptability, amo	ount, or c	ondition	of equip / st	upplies / facilities)		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		,	
	Direct Supervision	n		□ A	R 🗆	SOP	-	☐ Equ	•	l improperly			Inadequa	te Manufactur	Э				
	Jnit Command S	Superv	rision	TM		Other		☐ Equ	uip / Materia	l not provided		☐ Inadequate Maintenance			е				
	Higher Comman	d supe	ervision	□ FM		None e	exists	☐ Inad	dequate Fac	acilities / Services			Other						
11. NA	ME (Last, First, MI) (Includ	de Address & Ul		than Blks 5	a & b.)	12. SOCIAL SECURITY # 13. PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION:				ATION:	14. MOS: 15	15. DUTY	STATUS	☐ On-duty 区	Off-duty			
Dona	aldson, Jerry	7					789-65-4321 16. AGE: 29 17. SEX: M					/	18. PAY GRAI	oe F-	7 19. FLIGH	HT STATU	S □ Yes ⊠	No	
Done	dadon, dony	- .				-			See Instructions)				b. Type: NA	JL. L		art: NA I	d. Cause: NA		
21. DAYS HOSPITALIZED							ACTIVITY OF INDIVIDUAL												
21. D	ATS HOSPITAL	ובבט						Drovido d		st in instruction			iho in ene	ace helow					
22 W	ORKDAYS		23. CODE	=	24 SP	FCIFIC			OF ACTIV		3) and	ucscri	ibe ili spe	ice below					
	0.11.27.110		20.002.	=				_				P - 4 -		. 12. 02.					
a. Los	t:		W		The soldier was the supervisor for the two soldier's involved in this accident. At the time of the accident, the														
					supervisor was deployed.														
b. Res	stricted:																		
05.05			l VE EQUIDA		00.414	201101	/ B B L I	100.0411	055 / 001			1	07.50				TED 14/15	F1.10	
25. PE	RSONAL PRO	IECII	VE EQUIPM	IENI		COHOL / DRUGS CAUSED / CONT ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ 27. EG						27. EQ	UIP THIS PER	RSON V	VAS ASSOCIA	TED WI	I H'? (Enter item	No. from Blk 9a.): 1	
Unk a. Required b. Type Equip c. Available d. Used 28. LICENSE								30. HRS	31. TACTICAL		TYPF	TRAINING 33. LAST		34	FIELD TRAINING		35. NIGHT VISION SYSTEM USED		
a. regai	b. Type Le	iuib	o. Available	u. oocu	TO	INOLD	23	. TIKO	30.1110	31. TACTICAL	32		. IIVAIINIIN	33. LAST	EXE	RCISE		00:1410111 110	MOIT OT OTELM COLD
☐ Yes			#1:	#1:		TE EQU	IP OI	N DUTY	SLEEP	TRAINING		CILITY	′	TRAINING		Yes If Yes, provid	e name		s, provide name.
⊠ No	#2:		#2:	#2:	☐ Yes			12	8	☐ Yes ☒ N								⊠ No	
	D INDIVIDUAL I										f individu	al made	a mistake.	If yes provide the	ode (fron	n instructions) in Bl	b. and desc	cribe in Blk c.	
a. Mis		C. I	ell what the	mistake v	vas and h	now it ca	aused /	/ contribu	ited to the a	ccident.									
⊠ Ye	es -	l																	
)	Th	e team c	hief did	l not a	dequa	ately	plan fo	r the sol	dier's returi	า. Tr	nat is	s, he di	d not brief	the s	oldiers or o	coordin	iate with s	subordinate
leaders to properly integrate the soldiers back into the unit. Subsequently, the soldiers were on their own when they returns									turned to										
home station. They began drinking and then drove to the shoppette to get more beer. On the way back to the barracks, v																			
traveling at excessive speed, the driver lost control of the vehicle and ran off the road. The vehicle rolled down a 15 for embankment fatally injuring the passenger and seriously injuring the driver.									Uί										
		em	nbankmei	nt fatall	y injur	ing th	e pas	ssenge	er and se	riously inju	ring t	he d	river.						

	E
	X
	a
I	M
	p I
	e

37. WHY WAS THE MISTAKE MADE (ROOT CAUSE) (Check the root cause(s) in Blk a. In Blk b. tell how the root cause(s) led to the mistake.)											
a. LEADER	TRAINING		ROCEDURES	SUPPORT	ilition)		VIDUAL				
(Not ready, willing to enforce standards) Direct Supervision	(Insufficient in Content / Amount)	(Not clea	r / Not practical) ☑ SOP	(Shortcoming in type, capability, amount, or condition of ☐ Equip / Material improperly designed	Inadequate Manufa		(Mistake due to o	own personal factors)			
☐ Direct Supervision ☐ Unit Command Supervision	School	☐ TM	☐ Other	Equip / Material improperty designed Equip / Material not provided	☐ Inadequate Maintenance		☐ Poor/Bad attitude ☐ Overconfident	☐ Alcohol, Drugs			
Higher Command Supervision	☐ Unit☐ Experience, OJT	☐ FM	☐ None exist	☐ Inadequate Facilities / Services	Other		☐ In a hurry	☐ Fear / Excitement			
b. Describe root cause(s) and tell how	38 F	NVIRONMENTAL									
b. Describe root cause(s) and tell now	a. Pro		used / Contributed								
The supervisor's actions we											
abilities. The supervisor be	#1: (Yes 🗌 No 🗌 Unk								
			_ ,	7 V (7 N. (7 U.)							
				edure to conduct company brie		#2:	□ '	/es ☐ No ☐ Unk			
inspections after the unit ref	turns from deployme	nts, the	unit does n	ot address small groups of sol	diers that	#3:		/es □ No □ Unk			
return separate from the un	it.					#5.		103 🗀 140 🗀 Olik			
•		eets if requi	red)(Fynlain sei	quence of events, tell how accident happened)		ļ					
			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, assistin rapportal							
40. CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) TAKE	N OR PLANNED										
40. GORREOTIVE ACTION(6) TAKE	VOICE EXIMILE.										
41. POINT OF CONTACT FOR INFO	RMATION ON THE ACCIDE	ENT				-					
a. Name (Last, First, MI):					b. Telephon	e # D	SN:				
							M:				
42. COMMAND REVIEW a. Name:				c. Rank:	43.			b. Date			
b. Signature				d. Date:	a. Name						

REVERSE OF DA FORM 285 - AB - R, JUL 94

PAGE 2

U.S. ARMY ABBREVIATED GROUND ACCIDENT REPORT (AGAR) For use of this form, see AR 385-40 and DA Pamphlet 385-40; the proponent agency is OCSA

REQUIREMENT CONTROL SYMBOL CSOCS-308

														00000-300	,		
1. TIME & DA	ATE OF ACCIDE	NT a. Yr:	b. Mth:	· · — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —							4. ACDT Oo Noncombat	ACDT OCCURRED DURING:					
5. UNIT IDE	NTIFICATION		a. UIC (9									Unit's Branch: d. MACOM:				
	ON OF ACCIDE			Location (Detailed to local site):									-	b. Type	Location:		
c. State / Co				ost 🗌 On F								nt □ Yes	□ No	b. Involved \(\square\)			
8. MISSION		fly describe th													es □ No		
9. VFHICLE	/ EQUIPMEN	T INVOLVED	1								Material F	ailure / Mal	function Inforn				
				Ownership	d Es	timated	e.	f. Failure	f. Failure g. F		h. Part #		rt NSN	j. Part	k. EIR/QDR		
(Nomenclature)		D. Model	o. Gwilordinp			Damage	Vehicle Collision	Mode	Nomenclature		in rait "	1.14		Manufacturer Code	Submitted		
#1:															☐ Yes ☐ No		
#2:															☐ Yes ☐ No		
10. WHY DI	D THE MATE	RIAL FAIL / M	IALFUNCT	ION? (Check	the root cau	se(s) in Block	k a. In Block b, e.	xplain how the root	cause(s) led	to the material	failure / malfunctio	n. b. Des	scribe how the	material failed / m	nalfunctioned		
a.	LEADE			S / PROCED				SUF	PPORT			and ex	plain why (roo	t cause).			
	ady / willing to e	nforce standard	ls) (Not	t clear / Not pra		(Shor	rtcomings in type	, acceptability, amo	unt, or condi	tion of equip / s	upplies / facilities)						
	Supervision		☐ AF			designe		,	☐ Inadequate Manuf								
	ommand Supe		☐ TM	Othe	r		quip / Material not provided				te Maintenan	Maintenance					
Higher	Command su	pervision	□ FM	☐ None exists ☐ Inadequa				Facilities / Services									
11. NAME (La	ast, First, MI) (Ind	clude Address & U	IC if different to	than Blks 5a & b.) 12. SOCIAL SECURIT										ATUS On-duty	•		
							16. AGE: 17. SEX: M							STATUS 🗌 Yes 🗀] No		
					20. M	OST SEVE					b. Type:	c. Body Part: d. Cause:					
21. DAYS F	HOSPITALIZE	D						CTIVITY OF IN	_								
	211/2		_					t in instructions	s) and des	scribe in spa	ace below						
22. WORKI	DAYS	23. COD	E	24. SPECIFIC DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY / TASK													
- 1 1																	
a. Lost:																	
b. Restricted	۸٠																
b. Restricted	u.																
25 PERSO	NAL PROTEC	TIVE FOLUE	MENT	26 ALCOH	OL / DRI	IGS CALL	SED / CONT	П Уес П	No 🗆	27 FO	I IIP THIS PE	RSON WAS	SON WAS ASSOCIATED WITH? (Enter item No. from Blk 9a.):				
20.1 21.00	W.ETROTEO	TIVE EQUIT	VILIVI	26. ALCOHOL / DRUGS CAUSED / CONT Yes No 27. EQUIP THIS PERS								110011 11710	JOH WHO HOUGHTED WITH: (Eliter telli No. Holli Bik 9a.)				
a. Required	b. Type Equip	c. Available	d. Used	28. LICENSE	D 2	9. HRS	30. HRS	31. TACTICAL	32. TY	PE TRAININ	G 33. LAST	34. FIEL	D TRAINING	35. NIGHT VI	ISION SYSTEM USED		
•				TO								EXERCI	SE				
☐ Yes	#1:	#1:		OPERATE E	QUIP C	N DUTY	SLEEP	TRAINING	FACIL	ITY	TRAININ		If Yes, provide na		es, provide name.		
☐ No	#2:	#2:	#2:	☐ Yes ☐ N	No			☐ Yes ☐ No				☐ No		☐ No			
									individual m	ade a mistake.	If yes provide the	code (from inst	ructions) in Blk b. a	and describe in Blk c.			
a. Mistake	C.	Tell what the	mistake w	as and how i	t caused	/ contribu	ted to the ac	cident.									
Yes																	
☐ No																	
b. Code																	

37. WHY WAS THE MISTAKE MADE (ROOT CAUSE) (Check the root cause(s) in Blk a. In Blk b. tell how the root cause(s) led to the mistake.)											
a. LEADER	TRAINING		ROCEDURES	SUPPORT	/		INDIVIDUAL				
	(Insufficient in Content / Amount)	(Not clea	r / Not practical)	(Shortcoming in type, capability, amount, or condition of	f equip, supplies, services, or fac	cilities.)		own personal factors)			
	☐ School	☐ AR ☐ SOP		☐ Equip / Material improperly designed	☐ Inadequate Manufa	cture	Poor / Bad attitude	Fatigue			
	Command Supervision Unit DTM Other Equip / Material not provided Inaded		☐ Inadequate Mainten	nance	☐ Overconfident	☐ Alcohol, Drugs					
	Experience, OJT	☐ FM	☐ None exist	☐ Inadequate Facilities / Services	Other		☐ In a hurry	☐ Fear / Excitement			
b. Describe root cause(s) and tell how it	38 FN	VIRONMENTAL	CONDITIONS								
b. Becomes real education for the	t / they educed the finetane					a. Pres		sed / Contributed			
						u	, o	ood / oombaroa			
						#1:	ПУ	'es ☐ No ☐ Unk			
							ш.	00 <u> 110 01</u>			
						#2:	П	'es ☐ No ☐ Unk			
							ш.	00 <u> 10 01</u>			
						#3:	П	'es ☐ No ☐ Unk			
							Ш.	00 <u> 10 0 0 11 1 1 1 1 1 </u>			
20 DROVIDE BRIEF SYNORSIS OF A	CCIDENT // los additional abo	anto if romui	rad \ /Evalain aa	quence of events, tell how accident happened)		1					
39. PROVIDE BRIEF STNOPSIS OF A	CCIDEINT (Use additional she	ets ii requi	rea.) (Explain se	quence of events, tell now accident nappened)							
40. CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) TAKEN	OR PLANNED.										
	O										
41. POINT OF CONTACT FOR INFOR	MATION ON THE ACCIDE	NT									
a. Name (Last, First, MI):	e# DSI	N:									
a	COM:										
42. COMMAND REVIEW a. Name:				c. Rank:	43. SAFETY OFFI			b. Date			
						IOL KEV	ı∟ V V	D. Date			
b. Signature				d. Date:	a. Name						

For questions regarding the AGAR, contact:
MS. Peggy Adams at (334) 255-2256 or DSN 558-2256, email
AdamsP@safetycenter.army.mil
Or
Mr. Ron Chisum at (334) 255-2609 or DSN 558-2609, email

VISIT THE UNITED STATES ARMY SAFETY HOME PAGE: http://safety.army.mil/home.html

VISIT THE ARMY RISK MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM (RMIS): http://rmis.army.mil/

ELECTRONICALLY SUBMIT THE AGAR TO accidentinformation@safetycenter.army.mil

REACH THE USASC HELP DESK AT

ChisumR@safetycenter.army.mil

HelpDesk@safetycenter.army.mil

